

STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION MAINE LAND USE REGULATION COMMISSION 22 STATE HOUSE STATION AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333-0022

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BUILDING PERMIT BP 12602

The staff of the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission, after reviewing the application and supporting documents submitted by Michael A. and Noreen F. Beck for Building Permit BP 12602, finds the following facts:

1. Applicant: Michael A. Beck

Noreen F. Beck

38 Coventry Wood Road Bolton, MA 01740

2. Date of Completed Application: July 27, 2004

3. Location of Proposal: Monhegan Island Plantation, Lincoln County

Lot 6 on Plan 05

4. Zoning: (D-GN) General Development Subdistrict

5. Lot Size: 0.52 Acres (owned)

6. Principal Building: Existing Permanent Home (30 ft. by 35 ft.)

Existing Deck (10 ft. by 20 ft.) Existing Deck (4 ft. by 5 ft.)

7. Accessory Structures: Existing shed (8 ft. by 4 ft.)

8. Sewage Disposal: Combined Sewage Disposal System

9. Soil Type: Unknown

10. The applicant's lot is developed with a legally existing pre-Commission 30 foot by 35 foot permanent home with a 10 foot by 20 foot deck, a 4 foot by 5 foot deck, and a 4 foot by 8 foot shed. The permanent home is set back more than 200 feet from the Atlantic Ocean, and 8 feet from the nearest property boundary line.

Proposal

1. The applicants propose to remove the 4 foot by 5 foot deck on the side of the home and replace with a 5 foot by 9 foot deck. The proposed deck would be set back 8 feet from the nearest property boundary line.

Review Criteria

- 1. Under provisions of Section 10.26,D,1 of the Commission's <u>Land Use Districts and Standards</u> the minimum required setbacks for residential structures are 50 feet from roads, and 15 feet from all other property boundary lines.
- 2. Under provisions of section 10.11,B,1 of the Commission's <u>Land Use Districts and Standards</u>, permits are required for all expansions, reconstructions, relocations, changes of use, or other development of nonconforming structures, uses and lots, except where specifically provided in this section 10.11. In order to obtain a permit, the applicant must meet the approval criteria in 12 M.R.S.A. Section 685-B(4) and demonstrate that the project will not adversely affect surrounding uses and resources and that there is no increase in the extent of nonconformance, except in instances where a road setback is waived by the Commission in order to increase the extent of conformance with a waterbody setback.
- 3. The facts are otherwise as represented in Building Permit Application BP 12602 and supporting documents.

Based upon the above Findings, the staff concludes that:

- 1. The proposed addition would be in compliance with Section 10.11,B,1 of the Commission's <u>Land Use Districts and Standards</u> in that the proposed addition would meet the approval criteria under 12 M.R.S.A. Section 685-B(4), would not adversely affect surrounding uses and resources, and would not increase the extent of nonconformance of the original seasonal camp.
- 2. The proposed development complies with Sub-Chapter III of the Commission's <u>Land Use Districts</u> and <u>Standards</u> of the Commission's <u>Land Use Districts</u> and <u>Standards</u>.
- 3. The facts are otherwise as represented in Building Permit Application BP 12602 and supporting documents.

Based upon the above Findings, the staff concludes that if carried out in compliance with the Conditions below, the proposal will meet the Criteria for Approval, Section 685-B(4) of the Commission's Statutes, 12 M.R.S.A.

Therefore, the staff approves the application of Michael A. and Noreen F. Beck with the following conditions:

- 1. Construction activities authorized in this permit must be substantially started within 2 years of the effective date of this permit and substantially completed within 5 years of the effective date of this permit. If such construction activities are not started and completed within this time limitation, this permit shall lapse and no activities shall then occur unless and until a new permit has been granted by the Commission.
- 2. All authorized structures must be set back a minimum of 8 feet from other property boundary lines.

- 3. Clearing and construction activities, except those necessary to establish sedimentation control devices, shall not begin until all erosion and sedimentation control devices (including ditches, culverts, sediment traps, settling basins, hay bales, silt fences, etc.) have been installed and stabilized. Once in place, such devices shall be maintained to ensure proper functioning. All temporary sedimentation and erosion control devices shall be removed after construction activity has ceased and a cover of healthy vegetation has established itself or other appropriate permanent control measures have been effectively implemented. Permanent soil stabilization shall be completed within one week of inactivity or completion of construction.
- 4. Once construction is complete, the permittees shall submit a self-certification form, notifying the Commission that all conditions of approval of this permit have been met. The permittees shall submit all information requested by the Commission demonstrating compliance with the terms of this permit.
- 5. The scenic character and healthful condition of the area covered under this permit must be maintained. The area must be kept free of litter, trash, junk cars and other vehicles, and any other materials that may constitute a hazardous or nuisance condition.

This permit is approved upon the proposal as set forth in the application and supporting documents, except as modified in the above stated conditions, and remains valid only if the permittees comply with all of these conditions. Any variation from the application or the conditions of approval is subject to prior Commission review and approval. Any variation undertaken without Commission approval constitutes a violation of Land Use Regulation Commission law. In addition, any person aggrieved by this decision of the staff may, within 30 days, request that the Commission review the decision.

DONE AND DATED AT AUGUSTA, MAINE, THIS 30th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2004.

By: Chulm Colins
For Catherine M. Carroll, Director